

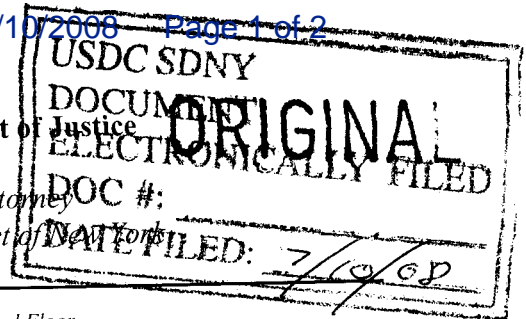


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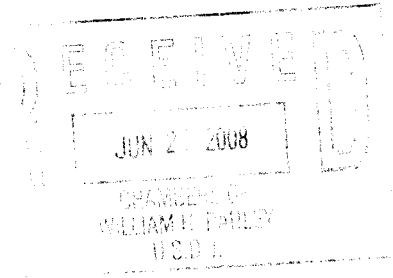
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June 26, 2008

BY HAND**MEMO ENDORSED**

Honorable William H. Pauley III
 United States District Judge
 Southern District of New York
 Daniel Patrick Moynihan United States Courthouse
 500 Pearl Street, Room 2210
 New York, New York 10007



Re: Den Hollander v. USA, et al.
 08 Civ. 1521 (WHP)

Dear Judge Pauley:

I am writing to request an extension of the Government's time to file its motion to dismiss this matter for thirty days, from June 27, 2008, until July 28, 2008. I have several urgent deadlines in other district court matters this week and next, and was recently assigned two circuit court matters with upcoming deadlines. This is the Government's first request for an extension.

If the due date for the motion is extended for thirty days, then the due date for Plaintiff's opposition would likewise be extended from July 25, 2008, to August 25, 2008, and the due date for the Government's reply would be extended from August 4, 2008, to September 5, 2008. Oral argument, which is currently scheduled for Friday, August 22, 2008, would be rescheduled for a later date in September. I understand from Your Honor's Individual Practices that oral arguments are generally held on Fridays, and the only time I would have a conflict is the morning of Friday, September 19, 2008. Plaintiff, Roy Den Hollander, has consented to these proposed amendments to the scheduling order.

I thank the Court for its attention to this matter.

Respectfully,

MICHAEL J. GARCIA
 United States Attorney

SO ORDERED:

application granted.

 WILLIAM H. PAULEY III U.S.D.J.

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Oral argument is adjourned to September 29, 2008 at 10:00 a.m.

cc: By Regular Mail

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